

IN THE CLAIMS

✓ Please cancel claims 1-12 and 14-19 without prejudice.

REMARKS

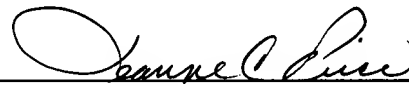
Justification for the amendments is as follows. The amendments to the specification were made to correct mere typographical or grammatical errors, to reflect the renumbering of the figures in the preparation of formal drawings, or to delete portions of the specification. In the claims, claims 1-12 and 14-19 were canceled, and claims 13 and 20-24 are thus pending. No new matter is added by any of these amendments.

If a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the present application, or if the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned (650) 845-4672.

Respectfully submitted,

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